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Drop.19 Kobato's Worries

THE PAYMENT ...
THE SAME AS ALWAYS IS FINE.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
I'M SURE SHUUICHIROU-SAN WILL BE PLEASED.
IS THAT ALL RIGHT?
YEAH.
WHAT'S THE SAME AS ALWAYS?
THE WEATHER'S FINE; WILL YOU STEP OUTSIDE?
SURE.

RIGHT THEN.
Running
BUT WHAT'S THE SAME AS ALWAYS!?
Scowl
WHAT'S...

Rustling

Clapping
パチパチ
THANK YOU FOR LISTENING.
THA...
NO...
Gasp

Wa ha ha!
わはは
OF COURSE YOU, WHO WERE RAISED BY FOSTER PARENTS WITH NO INTEREST IN THE ARTS, WOULD LISTEN IN ECSTASY!

PLEASE COME AGAIN.
I CERTAINLY WILL.
SO THAT'S THANKS FOR THE BAUM-KUCHEN, RIGHT?
YES, THAT'S PLENTY.
SEE YOU AGAIN, GINSEI-SAN...
ANGEL.
WHAT IS IT?
I'M KOHA-KU.
... KOHAKU.

IF
A REINCARNATED SHUUICHIROU DID NOT CHOOSE YOU,
...WHAT WOULD YOU DO?

EVEN IF SOMEONE BESIDES YOU WOULD BE WITH HIM ALL THAT TIME?
I WOULD WISH FROM MY HEART THAT THAT PERSON WOULD CHOOSE SHUUICHIROU-SAN.

IF THAT
MADE SHUUICHIROU-SAN HAPPY.

IN THE BEGINNING I THOUGHT THAT FUJIMOTO-SAN WAS SCARY,
THAT HE WAS A MEAN PERSON.
BUT, NOW...
.....

LATE.

Gasp-bow!
SORRY!
Ah!
YOUR MOBILE!

I'M SAYING THAT YOU'RE REALLY LATE.

Rummage
NO.
Brandish
IT'S RIGHT HERE!
HUH?
DIDN'T I GIVE YOU MY MOBILE PHONE NUMBER?
YOU DIDN'T LOSE IT, DID YOU?
Squeeze
THEN CONTACT ME.

THERE AREN'T ...
ANY TRACES REMAINING.
SLOWLY
HUH?
GET INSIDE ALREADY.

JUST NOW...
WHEN I THINK ABOUT FUJIMOTO-SAN...
MY CHEST HURTS.

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胸の痛みに気づいた小鳩。その理由を知ることが出来るのか？
HOW LONG YOU GOING TO STAND THERE?
Screech
...I WANT TO SING.
HUH?
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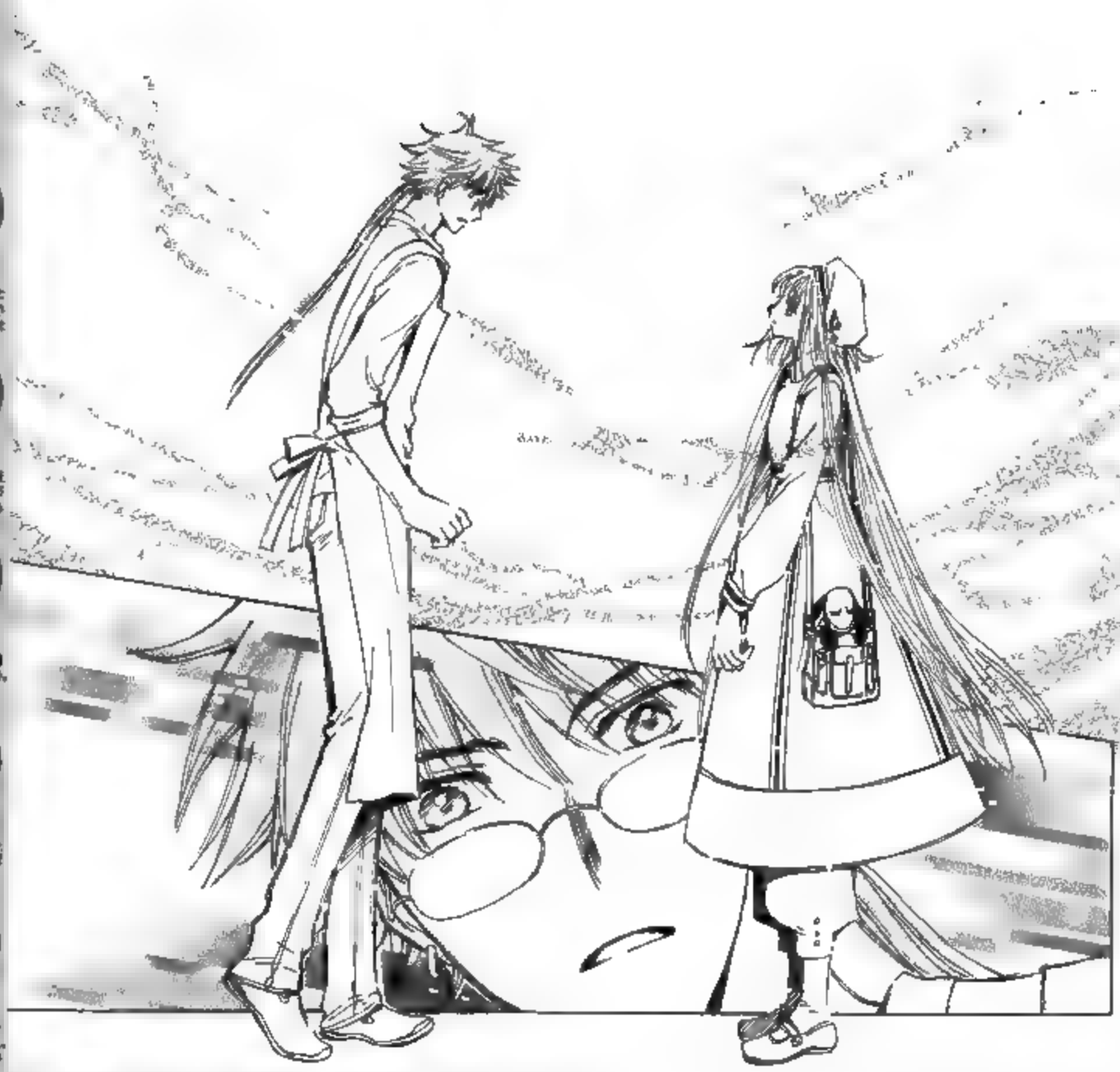
Clatter
WHAT'D YOU SAY?
I'M SORRY,
BUT
JUST NOW, I REALLY WANT TO SING...
IF I SING...
...I THINK YOU'LL UNDERSTAND.



YAY
KOBATO-CHAN!
OH!
KOBATO-CHAN!

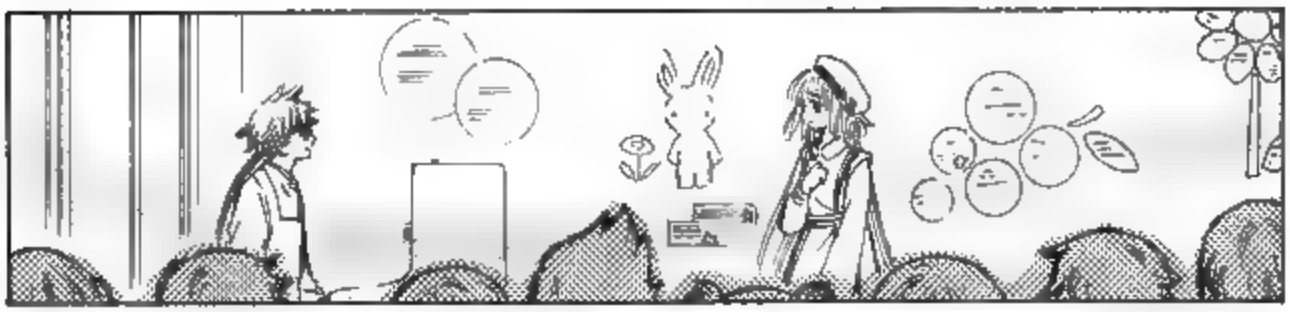
SO SHE WANTS TO SING IN APOLOGY.
YEAH, SHE'S REALLY LATE.
わあ
Woah
HUH?
YOU WERE LATE?
EVERY-ONE WAS WORRIED.
わい
Yay
I'M SORRY, I'LL HELP RIGHT...
SING, SING!
わい
Yay
UM, THAT IS-
わい
Yay
WHAT KIND OF SONG!?
I WANT TO HEAR KOBATO-CHAN'S SONG!

Woah
WHAT?
THEN!
KIYOGAZU-SENSEI, PLAY THE ORGAN!
I WANT TO HEAR KIYOGAZU-SENSEI PLAY THE ORGAN AND KOBATO-CHAN SING!
I WANT TO HEAR!
WOAH

... SHEESH.
JUST ONE SONG.
ALL RIGHT!

THIS VOICE...
DURING THE HANAMI...

Dead quiet
Wow
REALLY GREAT!
YOU'RE AMAZING, KOBATO-CHAN!
HOW DID YOU GET THAT GOOD AT SINGING!?
Applause



Tears falling

Rattle
I...
FUJIMOTO-SAN, I...
Clapping
ぱち ぱち
AMAZING, KOBATO-CHAN.
THAT SONG WE ONCE HEARD IN THE PARK WAS YOU, KOBATO-CHAN, WASN'T IT.

Gasp
KOBATO-CHAN.
Oh!
WHAT'S WRONG?
ARE YOU HURT?
WHAT'S WRONG?
IT'S NOTHING.
MY FACE...
About-face
YES, MY FACE.
Running footsteps
I'LL GO WASH IT.
KOBATO-CHAN...

ついに気づいてしまった、自分の気持ち。これからどうなってしまうの？　いおりょぎさん！

つづく

MY CHEST HURT AND HURT...
ENOUGH THAT MY TEARS WOULDN'T STOP...
FUJIMOTO-SAN...WHEN I SANG WITH HIM PLAYING THE ORGAN, I UNDER-STOOD...
...I LOVE
THAT PERSON.
ANNOYING, AND ALWAYS FAILING, AND UNHELPFUL...
BUT...TO FUJIMOTO-SAN, I MUST BE

I MUST BE,
I'M SURE HE
DOESN'T... LOVE ME...
...KOBATO...

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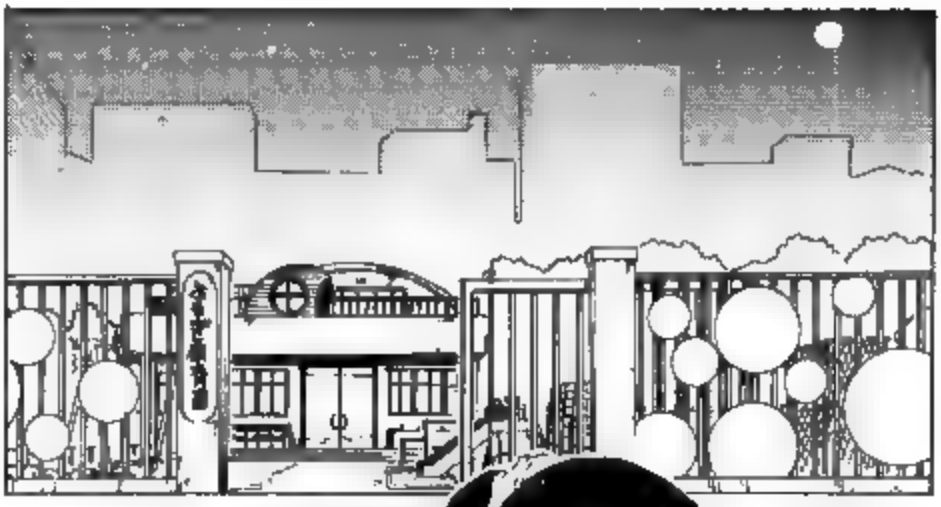
Straightening paper



...I WONDER IF KOBATO-CHAN'S OKAY.
SHE SAID SHE COULD GO HOME ALONE,
BUT I THINK I SHOULD HAVE SENT SOMEONE WITH HER.

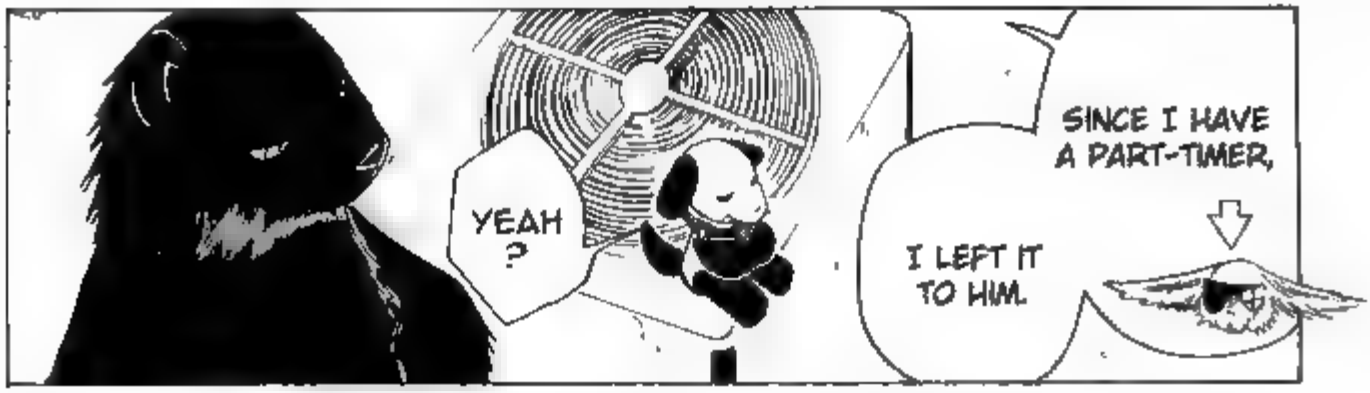
BUT-
AND SHE DIDN'T HAVE A FEVER, EITHER.
NO.
SHE DIDN'T SAY SHE WAS FEELING BAD.

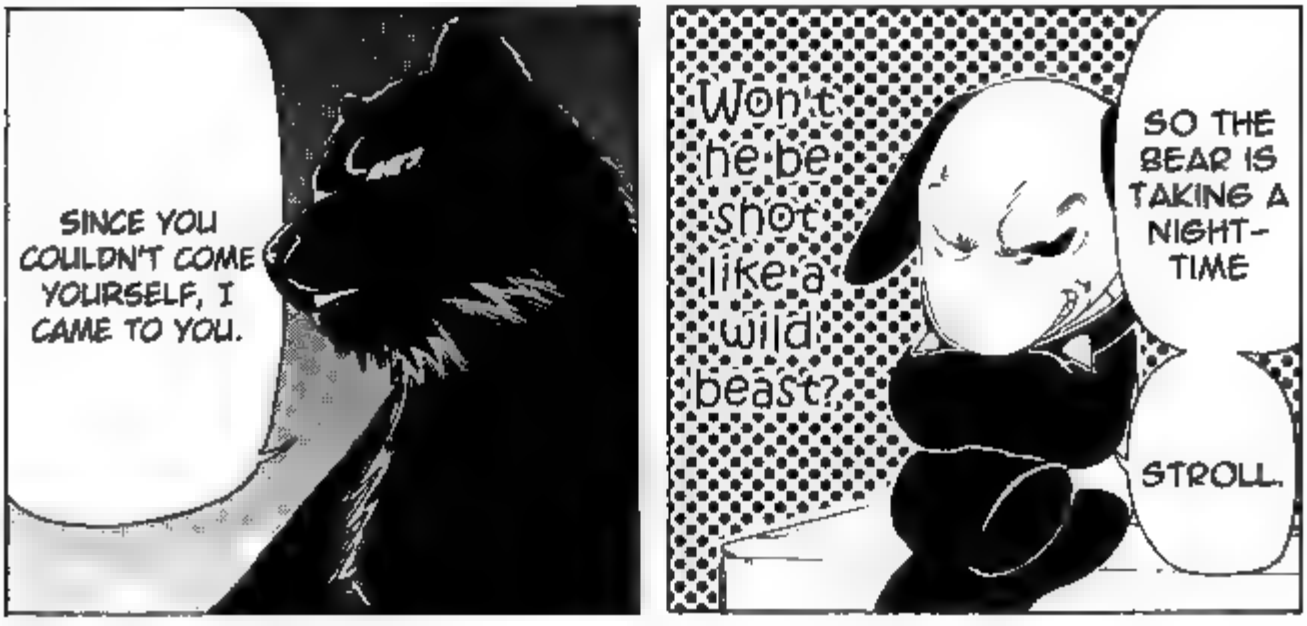
KOBATO-CHAN'S ALWAYS CHEERFUL AND SMILING,
THAT SHE WOULD CRY LIKE THAT...
THERE'S BEEN A LOT OF DEPRESS-ING STUFF LATELY, BUT
KOBATO-CHAN WAS ALWAYS SMILING,
AND SHE REALLY CHEERED ME UP.
SO I WONDER WHETHER THERE'S SOME-THING I CAN DO FOR HER.

DON'T YOU FEEL THE SAME, FUJIMOTO-KUN?
...

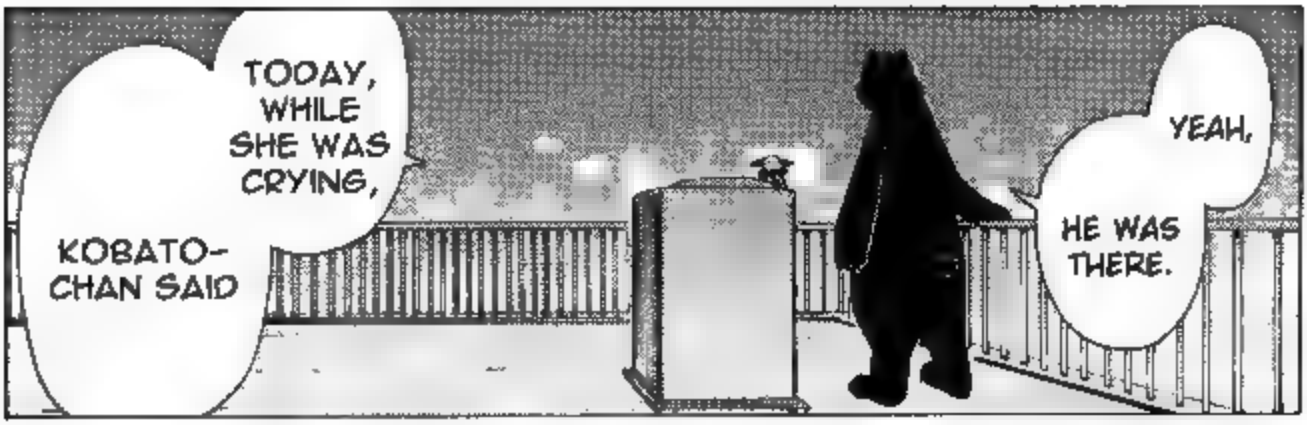
...KOBATO...
...GENKO.
Clattering

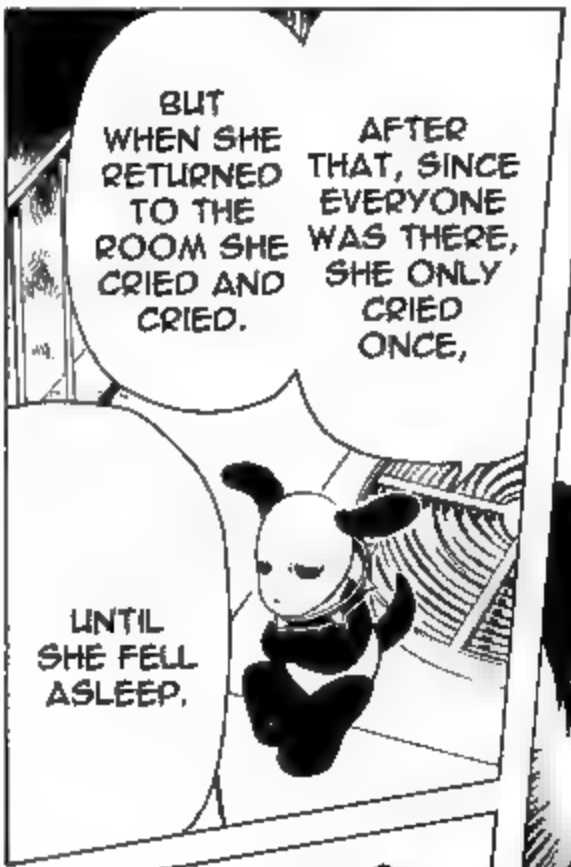
WHAT ABOUT THE BAUM-KUCHEN SHOP?
SHEESH, WHY ARE YOU IN A PLACE LIKE THIS?
Landing
Slam


YEAH ?
SINCE I HAVE A PART-TIMER,
I LEFT IT TO HIM.


SINCE YOU COULDN'T COME YOURSELF, I CAME TO YOU.
Won't he be shot like a wild beast?
SO THE BEAR IS TAKING A NIGHT-TIME STROLL.

WHY COULDN'T I GO TO YOUR PLACE?
DON'T MOCK MY INFORMATION GATHERING SKILLS.
...IT'S BECAUSE OF THAT GIRL.
..
SHE'S NOT JUST YOUR PROBLEM.
IOROGI.
...THAT GUY WHO WAS AT THE YOMOGI KINDERGARTEN WHEN I TALKED TO YOU BEFORE.
FUJIMOTO.


TODAY, WHILE SHE WAS CRYING,
KOBATO-CHAN SAID
YEAH,
HE WAS THERE.


BUT WHEN SHE RETURNED TO THE ROOM SHE CRIED AND CRIED.
AFTER THAT, SINCE EVERYONE WAS THERE, SHE ONLY CRIED ONCE,
UNTIL SHE FELL ASLEEP.

...BUT
THEN...

...THAT SHE LOVES
FUJIMOTO.

RIGHT.
KOBATO CAME TO THIS EARTH AT GOD'S COMMAND.
SO THAT SHE COULD GO TO THE PLACE SHE WANTED TO GO, SHE HAD TO FILL THE BOTTLE UP WITH HEARTS SHE'D HEALED.
BUT
IF THAT WISH IS GRANTED,
KOBATO WON'T BE ABLE TO SEE FUJIMOTO ANYMORE.

WE'LL STAY LIKE THIS.
IF SHE GIVES UP
ON HER WISH, AND HOPES TO BE TOGETHER WITH THAT FUJIMOTO...
...THAT'S NOT ALL, THOUGH.
ARE YOU OKAY WITH THAT?

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THE ONE YOU MET ON THE BRIDGE.
WE JOINED
THE WAR YOU WAGED IN HEAVEN
BECAUSE WE UNDERSTOOD THAT YOU REALLY HAD FALLEN IN LOVE WITH THAT ANGEL.
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IT'S DECIDED THAT HEAVEN AND EARTH WILL MEET ON THAT BRIDGE FOR ONE SEASON AND DISCUSS MATTERS OF MUTUAL IMPORTANCE TO BOTH WORLDS.
JUST ONCE, TWELVE YEARS AGO, THE OTHER-WORLD JOINED THEM.
AT THAT TIME, WITH THE OTHER-WORLD INCLUDED, ALL THREE WORLDS MADE DECISIONS.
THOUGH YOU WERE A MEMBER OF THE ROYAL FAMILY,
YOU CONSTANTLY SKIPPED THAT SORT OF MEETING.
BECAUSE THEY'RE ANNOYING.

EVEN IF YOU'D GONE AS FAR AS THE BRIDGE YOU SHOULD HAVE DISAPPEARED BEFORE THE MEETING!!
THANKS TO YOU I GOT IT IN THE NECK FROM THE KING!!
YEAH.
IN THAT VANISHING TIME, YOU MET AN ANGEL.
BY THE LAKE NEAR THE BRIDGE.

THAT MUST HAVE BEEN A BEAUTIFUL ANGEL.
WOULD BE UNABLE TO FORGET SOMEONE YOU'D MET JUST ONCE-
THAT YOU, FAMOUS IN THE OTHERWORLD FOR YOUR RIDICULOUS RUDENESS,
SHE FLOUN-DERED LIKE HER WINGS HAD BEEN CAUGHT.
YEAH.
I SHOULD HAVE LEFT HER THERE, BUT SHE GOT STUCK IN THE BRANCHES THE MORE SHE STRUGGLED-
WELL, MAYBE MY HEAD'S A LITTLE WEAK.
I DIDN'T THINK SHE WAS BEAUTI-FUL.
SOMEHOW, WHEN WE FIRST MET, SHE FELL OUT OF A TREE.
A TREE?!

WHEN I GOT HER DOWN SHE BOWED HER HEAD
AND SAID THAT SHE WANTED TO THANK ME SOME-HOW.
AND WHEN I SAID I DIDN'T NEED THAT,
SHE STARTED TO SING.
...THAT MUST HAVE BEEN AN AMAZING SONG.
THAT'S BECAUSE SHE
WAS THE ANGEL ENTRUSTED BY GOD WITH THE ROLE OF INCUBATING THE "ANGEL EGG."

DID YOU PROMISE TO CAUSE PROBLEMS WITH THE ONE WHO INCUBATED THE "ANGEL EGG"?
BUT "KOHAKU" IS FINE.
"THAT ANGEL FROM WHOM YOU INHERITED WHAT HAPPENED AFTER" IS FINE.
...SHUT UP.
YOU WANTED HER ENOUGH TO BREAK A SACRED TABOO, THAT ANGEL.
IF THAT GIRL'S WISH IS GRANTED YOU REALLY WON'T BE ABLE TO OBTAIN HER.

I KNOW THAT
BETTER THAN ANYONE.
...I KNOW.

Hurried
soft impact
...
Slow movement
Knocking

Squeeze
Silence
...
Oh.
...IT'S ME.
...YES?
I'M SORRY, I CAN'T OPEN THE DOOR NOW.
GOOD EVENING.

NO,
THAT'S FINE.
YOU...
THAT...
ARE YOU STILL CRYING?
...
ARE YOU TROUBLED BY MY CRYING, FUJIMOTO-SAN?
"TROUBLED" ?
IF YOU WERE AS UPBEAT AND SMILING AS ALWAYS,
WELL...
THAT WOULDN'T BE BAD.

HEY.
ARE YOU REALLY OKAY...?
I'LL BE ALL RIGHT.
THE SUN WILL DEFINITELY
COME OUT TOMORROW.

Creak
BE SURE TO SLEEP.
AND ALSO,
...DON'T COME LATE TOMORROW.
Door shutting
Door shutting
...
Creak

Sitting flat
...JUST FOR TODAY.
SINCE I'LL SMILE PROPERLY TOMORROW,
SINCE IT'S JUST FOR TODAY,
I CAN'T DO ANYTHING MORE.
JUST FOR TODAY, I'M SORRY,
FUJIMOTO-SAN...

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Birds chirping
Chirping
Sliding the window
I WONDER IF KOBATO-CHAN IS COMING.
...I...

RIGHT.
KOBATO-CHAN SAID THAT TO SHOW YOU HER DEMEANOR.
...BUT SHE SAID, "THE SUN WILL COME OUT TOMORROW, SO I'LL BE ALL RIGHT."
...
?
Uncomfortable
Spinning around
I'M GOING TO CLEAN OUTSIDE!
Door shutting
DO YOU UNDERSTAND, FUJIMOTO-KUN?

YOU WERE NEVER VERY GOOD AT SHOWING YOUR EMOTIONS,
BUT YOU'VE CHANGED SO MUCH SINCE YOU MET KOBATO-CHAN.
I
...HAVE TO CHANGE TOO.

Footsteps
IT'S NOT LIKE A I MADE A SPECIAL TRIP,
Footsteps
Footsteps
SHE'S JUST NEXT DOOR...!
GOOD MORNING!!!
AUGH!!

Heart pounding
DID I DO SOMETHING STRANGE?!
Dusting off
ぱた
ぱた
YOU'RE ALWAYS STRANGE.
WAS THERE SOME-THING BEHIND YOU?!
どきどき
HUH?!
NO! IT'S YOU!
ME?!
HUH?!
Horr.ble revelation
WHAAT?!
こほん
Cough
Stranger

Smooth
...YOU OKAY?
YES, I'M FINE.
SINCE THE WEATHER IS NICE TODAY, I DECIDED.
...?

Turning head
IT WAS INCIDENTAL.
WELL... DON'T MENTION IT.
THAT'S RIGHT!
THANK YOU FOR THE TYROL CAKES LAST NIGHT!
BUT I WAS GLAD.
VERY.

THEY ALL LOOKED REALLY DELICIOUS.
ALL OF THEM.
WHICH WAS TASTIEST?
保育園
YOU HAVEN'T EATEN THEM YET?
DOES THAT MEAN
NO.
Mumble
IF THERE WERE ONE THAT WAS TASTY...
Mumble
BUT, THAT...

...
YES?
Unhesitating
RIGHT!
WE'RE STARTING CLEANING!
Oh-!!
IT'S NOTHING!
Sudden
Total surprise
Blushing
BUT, FUJIMOTO-SAN,
THERE AREN'T ANY BROOMS!

Taking a breath
Telephone
I WAS JUST GOING TO GET THEM!!
Clench

...I'M GETTING BROOMS.
...
SURE.
FOR FUJIMOTO-SAN, THE BIGGEST WORRY AND THE MOST IMPORTANT PERSON
...IS SAYAKA-SENSEI, HUH.
...

...I
WANT TO HEAL FUJIMOTO-SAN.
NOT BECAUSE I WANT TO FILL UP THE BOTTLE, I JUST...
WANT FUJIMOTO-SAN TO SMILE.
...
REALLY.

SO... KOBATO
WILL DO HER BEST.
Quick movement
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?
Popping up
ぴょい
YOU'RE...

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ARE YOU ALL RIGHT NOW?
I GOT BETTER WITH MEDICINE.
H... HEY.
UM...
OH-
Bows
...THANK GOODNESS.
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I RE-MEMBERED.
SO WHY?
WHEN I CAME HERE BEFORE...
WHY'D YOU SAVE ME?
DID I CAUSE YOU AN INCON-VENIENCE?
Fujimoto-san said I was weird earlier, too!
IF I DID, THEN I AM TRULY SORRY!
Sudden
DID I DO SOMETHING WEIRD?

???
...YOU SAYIN' THAT SERIOUSLY?
UM, IF YOU WANTED TO INSTRUCT ME HOW TO APOLOGIZE...
...THERE REALLY ARE ALL SORTS OF PEOPLE IN THIS WORLD.
APOLOGY'S UNNECES-SARY.
?
GEEZ, THE ONE WHO'S GOTTA APOLOGIZE AND THEN BE THANKFUL IS ME.

...YOU'RE A LIFESAVER.
TH-
THANKS.
I'M GLAD, THAT I DIDN'T INCONVENIENCE YOU,
AND THAT YOU'RE ALL RIGHT.

PA-
JUST MAKING A PAYMENT ISN'T UP MY ALLEY,
SO'S THERE SOMETHING YOU WANT ME TO DO?
SOME-THING I WANT YOU TO DO?
YEAH.
IT'S NO GO IF IT COSTS MONEY.
...THEN-
PLEASE TAKE ME...
YEAH?
WHAT?
TO THE PLACE WHERE THE DEBT-COLLECTOR, OKIURA-SAN, IS.

You said you d become dignified. Dign,fied'
DON'T SHOUT SO SUDDEN-LY.
WHAT THE HELL IS THIS?!
DID YOU SAY THAT GIRL'S FALLEN IN LOVE WITH A HUMAN?
WHAT ABOUT HER WISH
TO GO TO THAT PLACE SHE WANTS TO GO?
...
IF THAT GIRL
CHOOSES THAT HUMAN OVER HER WISH BEING GRANTED...!

GOD AND IOROGI'S PROMISE WILL BE UNACCOM-PLISHED.
WHEN IOROGI INVADED HEAVEN TO OBTAIN THE ANGEL HE'D FALLEN IN LOVE WITH-
THOSE GUYS IN HEAVEN ARE DIFFERENT FROM US.
WE THOUGHT THAT THEIR SENSE OF JUSTICE WAS POWERFUL, BUT THAT THEY WEREN'T PRACTICED AT COMBAT.
BUT THAT SENSE OF JUSTICE WAS THE BIGGEST TROUBLE.

WELL, A HOLE OPENED.
IT TURNED INTO A LONG, LONG BATTLE.
AND IN THAT BATTLE A CRACK WAS BORN IN THE PRINCIPLE THAT SEPARATES HEAVEN AND THE HUMAN WORLD.
SHE'S A HUMAN GIRL WHO SHOULD HAVE DIED A LONG TIME AGO,
WHO NEARLY LOST HER LIFE IN A QUARREL CONCERNING HER.
THE SHOCK-WAVES FROM THE HOLE THAT LEAKED OUT IN THE BATTLE-
UNLUCKILY, THE ONE WHO INCURRED THEM ALL WAS THAT GIRL.
KNOWING THAT,
IOROGI'S ANGEL-

IN EXCHANGE FOR THE GIRL'S SOUL,
STOPPED THE GIRL'S TIME.
THAT GIRL IS NOW NEITHER LIVING NOR DEAD.
IT'S AN AMBIGUOUS SITUATION.
BUT, THIS WAY, BOTH THE ANGEL AND THE GIRL WILL DIE EVENTUALLY.

SO IOROGI PRAYED TO GOD.
THAT IDIOT EVEN WENT DOWN ON HIS KNEES.
IF I'D BEEN STRONGER-
Clench
IOROGI WOULDN'T HAVE HAD TO DO THAT.
YOU REALLY ARE STUCK ON IOROGI.
NO!
I'M THE ONE WHO WILL BEST IOROGI! SO HIM LOSING TO ANYONE ELSE LIKE THAT IS UNFORGIVABLE!!

GOD GAVE A CONDITION.
SO THAT THE QUARREL WOULDN'T AFFECT THE HUMAN WORLD, AND AS A PUNISHMENT, THE FORMS WOULD CHANGE.
Though we didn't know what would happen when He said 'change'
WHAT'S EMBARRASSING!!
SHEESH-
I'M NOT EMBAR-RASSED TO HEAR IT.
Bristling
TO HELP HER WISH BE GRANTED.
AND, TO GUIDE THAT GIRL WHO HAD LOST HER MEMORIES AND HER KNOWLEDGE,

HEALING PEOPLE IS DEFINITELY IMPOSSIBLE FOR IOROGI.
Slowly
IT MIGHT BE ANOTHER PUNISHMENT FOR HIM, BUT I DON'T UNDERSTAND WHAT GOD IS THINKING.
DUNNO.
SO THEN WHY DOES SHE HAVE TO COLLECT THE CONTENTS OF THAT BOTTLE?

WHY?
ABOUT THE TIME LIMIT.
BUT
I DO UNDER-STAND WHY USHAGI-SAN LET US KNOW

THE LIMIT IS WHEN THE ANGEL INSIDE THAT GIRL WILL DISAPPEAR.
...WHAT DID IOROGI SAY?
THAT HE UNDER-STOOD.

BETTER THAN ANYONE, HE DOES.
AND...
BUT
I DON'T WANT
TO SEE HER CRY ANYMORE.

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IF KOBATO'S WISH IS GRANTED,

EVEN IF SHE COMES BACK,

SHE'D CERTAINLY CRY AGAIN.

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...THE SAME FACE AS HER, SMILES.

I LIKE IT BETTER WHEN KOBATO, WHO HAS

BESIDES,

BUT IF YOU THINK ABOUT IT, YOU CAN UNDER-STAND.

WE'D NEVER SEEN ANGELS' FORMS.

THAT GIRL

AND IOROGI'S ANGEL HAVE THE SAME FACE.

Sigh

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BECAUSE SHE HAD THE SAME SOUL.

IOROGI'S ANGEL BORE THE AFTERMATH OF THE BATTLE THAT GIRL ESCAPED

...SHE BORE THE SAME SOUL

IN ANOTHER WORLD.

WELL,

BARRING THE UNFORESEEN, WE'LL NEVER MEET.

THEY EXIST FOR YOU AND I, TOO, BUT-

YES.

SHE SHOULD NEVER HAVE MET THAT GIRL, EITHER.

SO THEN,

EVEN IF IOROGI NEVER RETURNS FROM THAT FORM-

I THINK THAT'S HIS PLAN.

EVEN IF HE CAN NEVER RETURN TO THE OTHER-WORLD?

HE CAN'T GO BACK AS A PLUSHIE, IT'S EMBARRASSING.

...EVEN IF THAT ANGEL VANISHES,

AND HE LOSES THE GIRL WHO POSESSES THE SAME FACE AND SOUL?

WE FOLLOWED HIM BECAUSE HE'S THAT KIND OF GUY.

...

Squeezing

MY STOMACH'S ALREADY IN KNOTS.

SINCE GOD DECIDED THAT I'LL BE HERE RUNNING

A BAUMKUCHEN SHOP UNTIL THE CONCLUSION.

I SHOULD HAVE BEEN INCREDIBLY ELEVATED IN RANK, NOT WORKING THIS POOR MAN'S JOB.

Growling

THOUGHT I THINK EVERY DAY THAT WITH ALL THE PAIN I'VE HAD SINCE I WAS ENTRUSTED WITH HIS AIDE-DE-CAMP NAME CHARM BY THE OTHERLORD,

Sigh

Polishing

AND THIS TIME'S THE MOST.

Turning

Grip

HELP ME,

GINSEI.

NOW THEN.

I'M GOING TO MAKE DELICIOUS BAUMKUCHEN TODAY, TOO.

Sigh
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THERE ARE THINGS THAT YOU DON'T WANT TO UNDERSTAND, EVEN IF YOU UNDERSTAND, HUH?

SOMEHOW THAT VIOLENT GUY WENT OUT TO THAT IOROGI-SAMA'S PLACE

WITH AN INCREDIBLY TOUGH FACE.

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Tapping

HUH?

An even worse face right?

Well, that violent guy usually has

NOW, DO YOUR BEST TODAY, TOO-

GENKO-SAMA, YOU'RE TERRIBLE -!!!

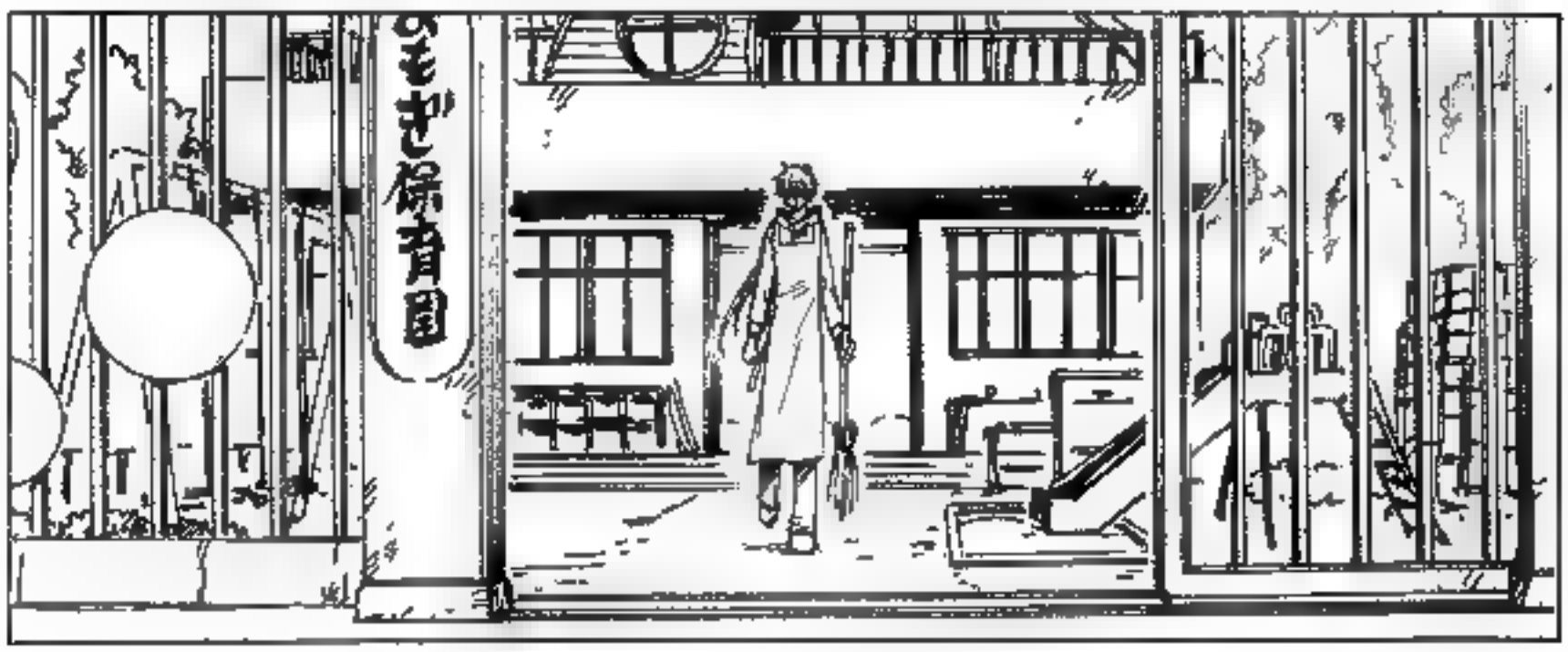
Grin

WELL, EVEN THE WORST TOOL HAS A USE.

SINCE I'M A BIRD,

I CAN'T DO VERY MUCH.

Flapping



WHERE DID SHE GO?

KIYOKAZU-SENSEI!

IF SHE'S IN THAT MUCH OF A HURRY, SHE'LL FALL OVER.

Running feet

KOBATO-CHAN IS-!!!

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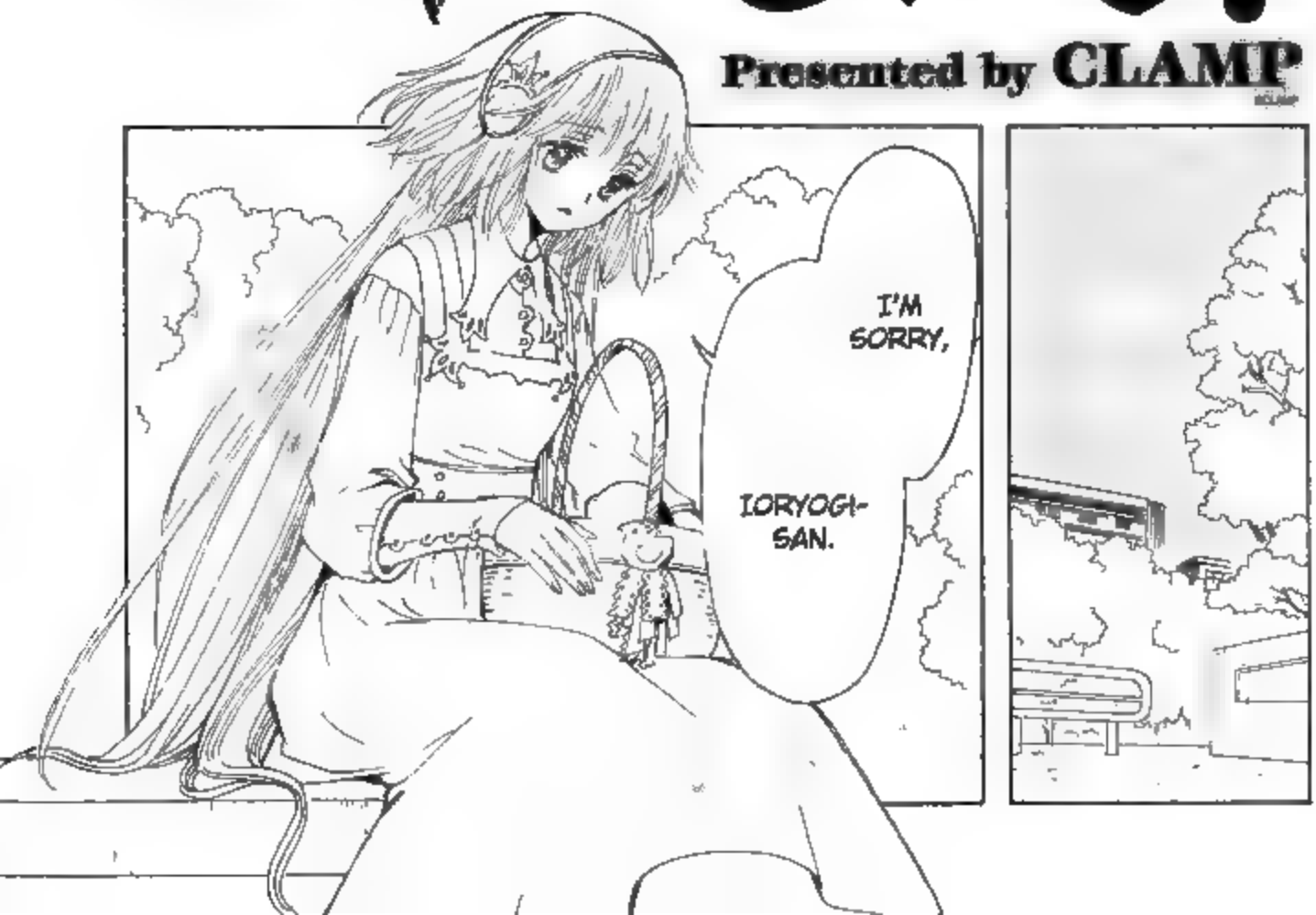
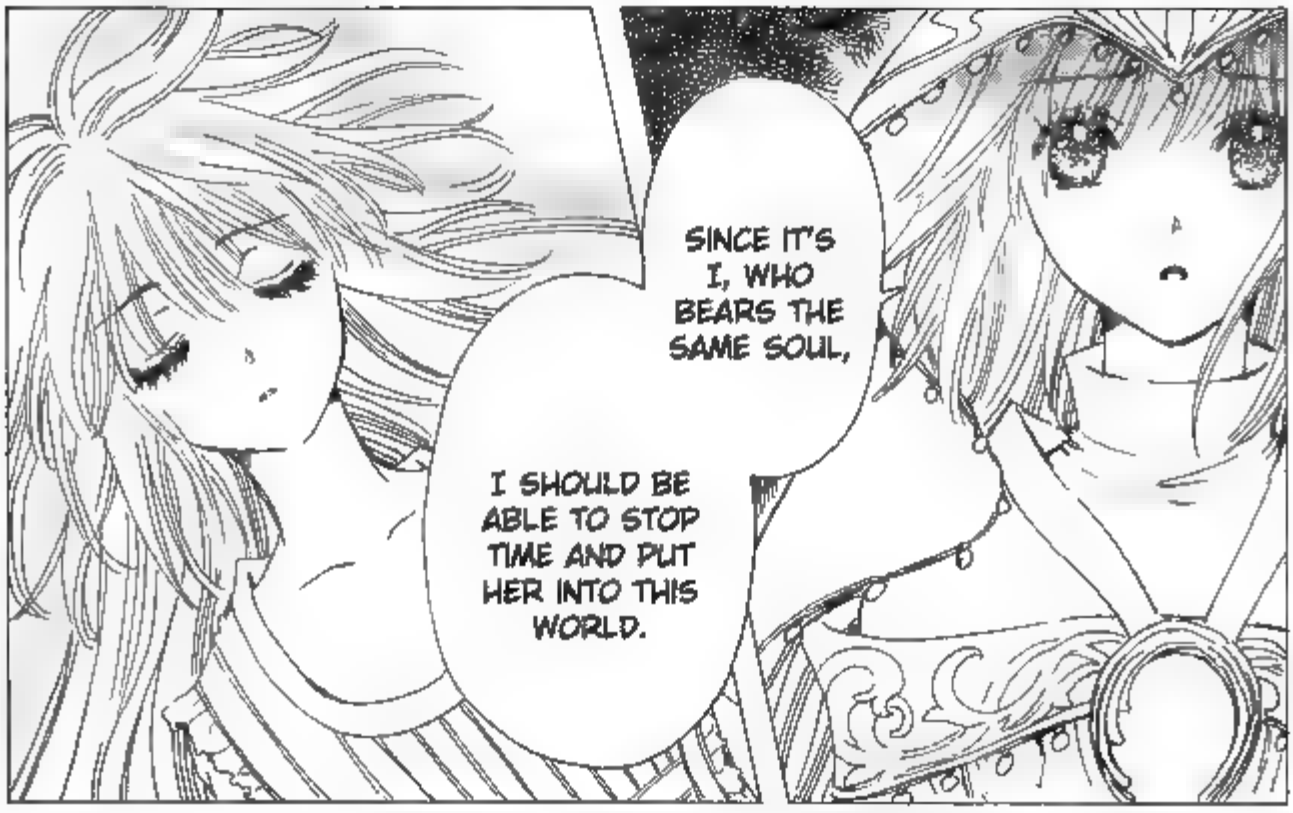


WHAT'S THIS ALL OF A SUDDEN?
EVEN THOUGH I HAVE TO SEARCH FOR AND HEAL PEOPLE WHO'VE BEEN HURT...
...RIGHT NOW YOU WANT TO MEET HIM, HUH?
THAT DEBT-COLLECTOR.
FOR FUJIMOTO'S SAKE.

...YES.

THIS PERSON WILL DIE LIKE THIS.


SINCE IT'S I, WHO BEARS THE SAME SOUL,
I SHOULD BE ABLE TO STOP TIME AND PUT HER INTO THIS WORLD.

YOU INTEND TO EXCHANGE YOURSELF FOR THE SOUL OF THAT GIRL!?

BEING IN SOMEONE ELSE'S BODY FOR LONG!
EVEN IF YOU ARE THE HOLDER OF THE SAME SOUL, YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO ENDURE
YES.
IF YOU DO THIS, IF THAT GIRL DIES, YOU'LL DIE TOO!
PRAY TO GOD ABOUT THAT.
PRAY THAT HE'LL TAKE ALL MY LIFE REMAINING IN EXCHANGE TO SAVE THAT PERSON.

Light.
SINCE I'M STILL AN INEXPERIENCED ANGEL,
I SHOULD STILL HAVE THE WILL OF HEAVEN.
EVEN IF IT'S NO GOOD, EVEN IF MY REBIRTH DOESN'T COME TRUE, I DO NOT CARE.
STOP!!
Light

IF THIS PERSON DISAPPEARS, THERE ARE SURELY PEOPLE WHO WOULD BE SADDENED.
THIS PERSON HAS NO RELATION TO THESE MATTERS.
PEOPLE WHO CARE FOR THIS PERSON.
LIGHT
IN THAT CASE I'M THE ONE WHO MUST BEAR THE BLAME!
YOU'RE NOT RELATED E!...!!

I'M SORRY FOR CALLING YOU SELFISH,
IOROGI-SAN.
I WAS FINALLY ABLE TO SAY IT PROPERLY.
I ALWAYS CALLED YOU IORYOGI-SAN.
I COULDN'T SAY IT WELL.

TO LOVE ME.
FOR BEING ABLE
THANK YOU VERY MUCH
Lillight
AND I
YOU AS WELL.

...THOUGH I TAUGHT YOU PROPERLY AT THE BEGINNING,
YOU STILL CAN'T SAY IT EITHER, KOBATO.
MY NAME.
IORYOGI-SAN?
GOD ALREADY KNEW HER WISH.
THAT'S WHY WHEN I BENT MY KNEW I ASKED GOD FOR SOMETHING DIFFERENT THAN SHE HAD.

THAT HE TELL ME A WAY THAT SHE AND KOBATO WOULD BOTH NOT DISAPPEAR.
AND SO NOW WE'RE HERE.
THAT WAS MY WISH,
AND KOBATO HAS HER OWN WISH TOO.
EVEN IF THAT HAS CHANGED FROM THE BEGINNING...

IS SOME-
THING
WRONG?
...IT'S
FINE IF YOU
DO JUST
WHAT YOU
THINK.
...IORYOGI-
SAN.

NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS, I'LL BE AT YOUR SIDE.
...RIGHT.

Twitch
...HE'S HERE.
Om nous
HELLO, KOBATO-CHAN.

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Slam
KOBATO-CHAN'S GONE!
SHE'S GONE WITH THE SCARY MAN
WHO CAME TO YOMOGI KINDERGARTEN BEFORE!
I TRIED TO STOP HER, BUT KOBATO-CHAN SMILED AND LEFT!
KOBATO-CHAN SAID TO TELL YOU SHE WAS LEAVING FOR A BIT, KIYOKAZU-SENSEI!

THAT IDIOT!

WELL, GOING TO MEET A CUTE GIRL IS FUN, SO IT'S NO TROUBLE.
IT'S ACTUALLY STILL TIME FOR ME TO BE IN BED, SO I'M KIND OF SLEEPY- SORRY.
HELLO, OKUIRA-SAN.
THANK YOU FOR COMING ALL THIS WAY TO SEE ME.

Sudden!
BECAUSE HE DOESN'T KNOW IF THERE'S ANYTHING AT THE CITY OFFICE.
YES.
I TOLD HIM THAT IT WAS FINE EVEN IF IT WAS FAR AWAY.
HE CHOSE A PLACE THAT'S NOT A LOCKED ROOM, BUT SOMEWHERE WITH PEOPLE PASSING BY.
I'M SORRY.
IT WOULD HAVE BEEN BETTER FOR ME TO GO TO YOUR HOUSE OR YOUR WORKPLACE, I GUESS.
NO, THAT'S- MIYATA...
THE GUY WITH THE APPENDIX THAT TIME THAT YOU SAVED IS CALLED MIYATA.
HE STOPPED YOU, DIDN'T HE?
HE'S WORRIED ABOUT YOU.
Sideways glance
IS THAT SO?
IT IS SO.

BECAUSE I'M A YAKUZA.
YOU REALLY ARE FUNNY, KOBATO-CHAN.
WHAT IS IT?
I HAVE A REQUEST FOR YOU, MR. OKIURA YAKUZA-SAN.

PLEASE DON'T DESTROY YOMOGI KINDERGARTEN.
I CAN'T DO THAT.

WHY IS THAT?
BECAUSE THEY HAVE TO PAY BACK THE DEBT.
IF IT'S PAID, WILL YOU NOT DESTROY IT?
YEAH, THAT'S ABOUT RIGHT.
BUT THE SCHOOL HAS NO MONEY, RIGHT?
EVEN IF KIYOKAZU-CHAN DOES HIS BEST AT PART-TIME JOBS, THE AMOUNT IS IMPOSSIBLE.
ON THE OTHER HAND-

WILL YOU DO SOMETHING, KOBATO-CHAN?

Slam

Footstep
WHAT'S WITH THE HURRY?
Footsteps
YOU HAVEN'T SEEN HER, HAVE YOU?!
Whirling
KIYOKAZU?!
"HER"?
HER!
Grab
HER!!
BUT SHE HAS NO COMMON SENSE AND NO IDEA ABOUT BODILY HARM OR ANYTHING!
SHE'S SILLY AND FOOLISH, AND HER DRAWINGS ARE TERRIBLE.
WELL, SHE SINGS NICE, BUT-!

CALM DOWN A BIT.
UM,
DO I KNOW THIS PERSON?
YOU MET HER, DIDN'T YOU!
DO YOU MEAN HANATO KOBATO-CHAN?
YES!
OH,
THAT GIRL.
YOU UPSET HER, AND SHE RAN?
NO!

THAT IDIOT.
SHE'S STICKING HER NECK INTO OKIURA'S BUSINESS!
...YEAH.
THAT OKIURA WHO'S SAYAKA-SAN'S FORMER HUSBAND?
Adjusting
WHEN DID YOU LOSE SIGHT OF HER?
THE KIDS SAID THEY JUST SAW HER GO SOME-WHERE WITH ONE OF THE YAKUZA FROM OKIURA'S PLACE...

YOU DON'T KNOW THEIR DESTINATION?
beep
beep
...NO.
PLACES THEY'RE LIKELY TO GO...
...
IF YOU KNOW, DON'T ASK ME.
KOBATO-CHAN IS CUTE ENOUGH TO STAND OUT.
AT THIS TIME OF DAY ONE OF THE STUDENTS MIGHT HAVE SEEN HER BEFORE THEY WENT TO CAMPUS.
WHY...
WHAT?

THEN WHY!?
SADLY, IT WAS JUST THE ONCE.
YOU-
DID YOU MEET HER AGAIN AFTER THAT?
SHE'S IMPORTANT TO YOU, RIGHT?
I'M SEARCHING BECAUSE YOU'RE MAKING THAT FACE, KIYOKAZU.
Swiftly
I..!

SEARCHING FOR KOBATO-CHAN COMES FIRST RIGHT NOW.

...IF IT'S SOMETHING I CAN DO.
ARE YOU SAYING YOU'LL DO ANYTHING?
NO.
NOW NOW!
AND YOU ACTED LIKE YOU HAD A REMARKABLE FIGHTING SPIRIT, TOO.
ARE YOU AFRAID TO DECLARE THAT YOU'LL DO ANYTHING?
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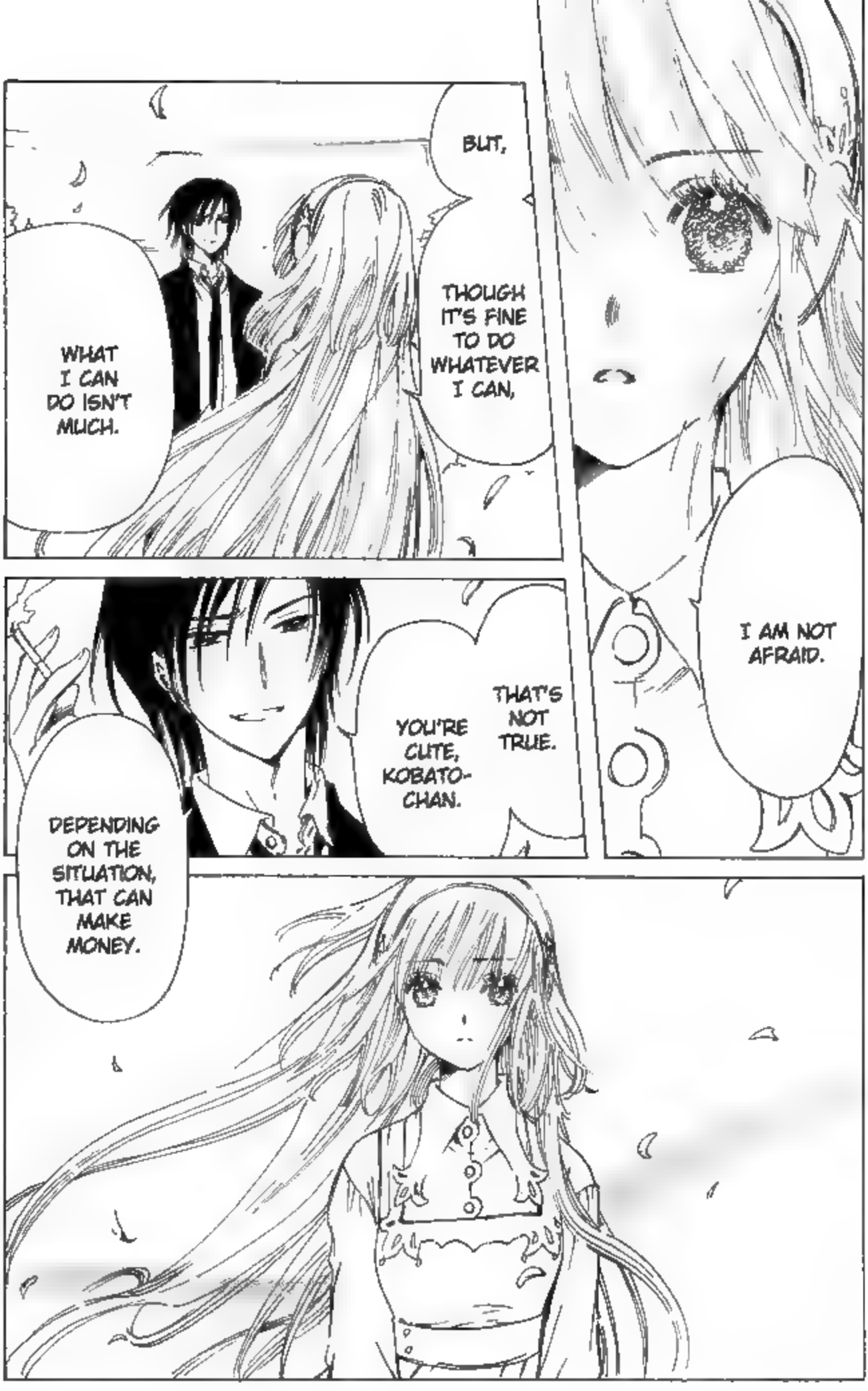

I AM NOT AFRAID.
BUT,
THOUGH IT'S FINE TO DO WHATEVER I CAN,
WHAT I CAN DO ISN'T MUCH.
THAT'S NOT TRUE.
YOU'RE CUTE, KOBATO-CHAN.
DEPENDING ON THE SITUATION, THAT CAN MAKE MONEY.

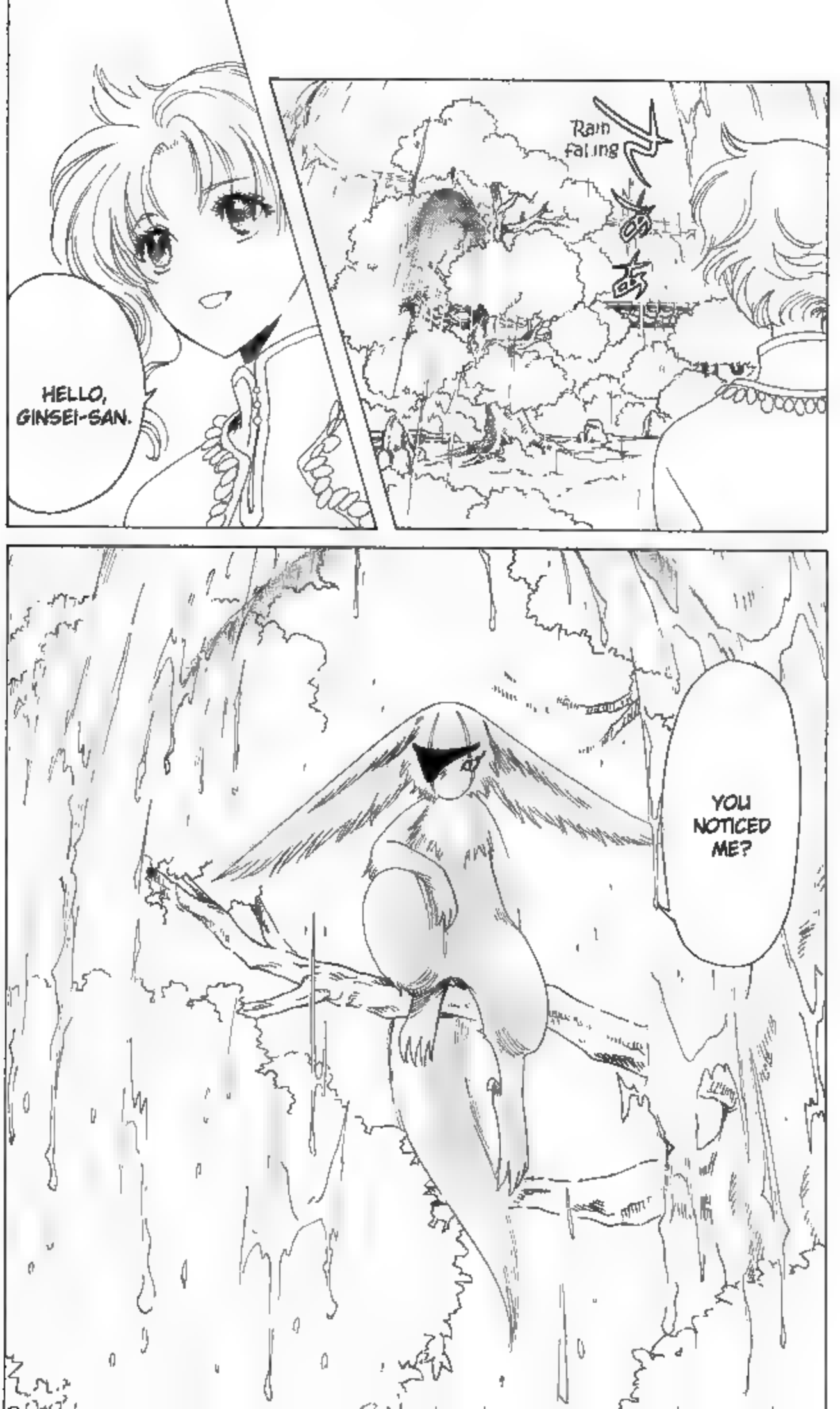
Shocking
EVEN IF I DID MAKE MONEY,
WILL YOU BE HEALED BY THAT, OKIURA-SAN?
I'M TOLD THAT YOMOGI KINDERGARTEN HAS A DEBT.
IF THAT WERE PAID BACK IN FULL, OKIURA-SAN, WOULD YOU BE HEALED?
HUH?

WHY ARE WE TALKING ABOUT BEING HEALED ALL OF A SUDDEN?
THEN,
...WILL IT MAKE YOU HAPPY?

I DIDN'T HELP HARDLY AT ALL,
BUT THERE'S SOMETHING THAT HELPING TO HEAL THE HEARTS OF MANY PEOPLE MADE ME UNDERSTAND.
TO BE HEALED IS WHEN SOMEONE'S WISH OF "I WANT THIS" IS FULFILLED.
AND THAT IS CERTAINLY WHAT'S CALLED HAPPINESS.

WHAT IS YOUR HAPPINESS, OKIURA-SAN?
Peep peep peep
chirping

Water swirling
SPIRIT THAT LIVES WITHIN THE WATER,
ANSWER MY CALL.
LEND YOUR STRENGTH TO THE TREES' MOISTURE, GATHER YOURSELF TO SAVE THOSE LIVES.
Puff of wind
RAIN OF GRACE, POUR DOWN.
Rain falling


HELLO, GINSEI-SAN.
Rain falling
YOU NOTICED ME?

...WAS THAT THE SHUUICHIROU YOU'RE WITH NOW?
IN THE PAST I GOT SHUUICHIROU-SAN SOAKING WET TOO, AS WELL AS THE GARDEN.
I'M GLAD THE INVOCATION WENT WELL.
...
NO.
MY FAILURE WITH THE INVOCATION WAS A LONG TIME BEFORE THE TIME I MET THE SHUUICHIROU-SAN I'M WITH NOW.

IF YOU LIKE, WON'T YOU HAVE A REST?
ON THAT VERANDA?
WHY?
BECAUSE YOU LOOK A LITTLE LOST.

...
Thump
Running footsteps

Turning head
THAT IDIOT!
SHE'S AN IDIOT! I THOUGHT SHE WAS AN IDIOT, BUT-
Running
TO GO TO OKIURA, ON TOP OF THAT!
WHY, WHY DO MY...
ALWAYS, BY OKIURA...
...

MY...
WHAT DID I SAY...?

...YOU WERE SAYING, AT GENKO'S SHOP.
THAT THE PARTNER YOU DESIRED WAS WITH YOU
...BUT IT WAS FINE THAT THAT PARTNER HADN'T DESIRED YOU.

...
KOHAKU.

YES?

YES.

I DON'T UNDER-STAND.
WHY HE DOESN'T HOLD OUT HIS HAND.
WHY HE DOESN'T TRY TO POSSESS IT.
IF IT'S KILLING HIS OWN WISH, THEN WHY
...IS HE SMILING?

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